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TITLE
 Digital image processing method having an exposure correction based on recognition of areas corresponding to the skin of the photographed subject

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